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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
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  - Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
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  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 3]
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

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  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
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(IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
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(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
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6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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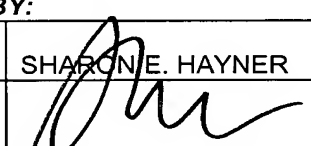
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